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Garden time will soon be here, But you need not plow nor dig Turn your garden out to the commons And it will be promptly plowed by the pesky pig.

Kentucky not Affected.

While there has been great complaint of a falling off of bank deposits over the country, the State of Kentucky and the city of Louisville are not affected in that way, according to a report of the Comptroller of Currency, made public today, and based upon figures of the last bank call.

The individual deposits both of Louisville national banks and banks outside of Louisville show a large and gratifying gain during the last year, the account of individual deposits standing as follows:

Louisville national banks, 1910, \$17,172,167.68, 1911, \$17,879,395.52.

Kentucky national banks outside of Louisville, 1910, \$33,082,962.40, 1911, \$39,023,232.80.

Kentucky national banking institutions never were in a more flourishing condition.

Boys' corn clubs of the United States have grown until they now reach in number 40,000 boys. Kentucky has taken up the organization of boys' corn clubs, and by all means a club for the boys should be organized in Powell county. Let us get in touch with the rest of the world.

Mrs. J. A. Williams has gone to Middletown, Ohio, to join her husband who has been there some time.

"Free"

Send 12 name and addresses of Music Readers written plainly, and get a copy of your New song book free, No. 9 Windows of Heaven.

John B. Vaughan, Athens, Ga.

No Ready Prints for Us.

Many of our exchanges have recently adopted the ready print sheets. The ready print can supply good matter and is an easy way of making a larger paper. The Times tried this four weeks once but our foreign advertisers were going to quit us because they had arranged to carry their ads with the ready print house. Upon investigation we learned the ready print company's rate and found out that they got more money from the advertising that appeared in the ready print side than the rest of the advertising paid us and the subscription money thrown in. We like the service, but if there were no ready prints, the local publisher would get the advertising they get and thereby get the cash they get. Their profit would be our profit, and it is justly ours. In patronizing the ready prints local publishers are knifing themselves and losing one-third if not one-half of their most valuable advertising. It's time for all local papers to control their own business and get their own cash.

Most Senators prefer election by the Legislatures as in this way they can swap for a lot of votes without paying out the hard cash. The voter at the polls demands the price in advance. And another thing they can tell better how the vote is going and can get the goods C. O. D.

John W. Conlee, of Mt. Sterling, is here visiting his daughter, Mrs. Mm. C. Martin.

For Sale.

Farm of 44 acres and 9 poles 1 1/2 miles from Clay City. Good buildings, well watered, close to church and school. Lot of tie timber on place and more coming on.

A. D. Williams, Clay City, Ky.

We are Persistent.

During the Civil War a Confederate soldier from an adjoining county was put in prison who was the son of a persistent and very homely mother. She went direct to Abe Lincoln for his reprieve. Soon as President Lincoln learned her mission he informed her without explanation that her wishes could not possibly be granted. The mother arose in the President's face and said: "Now Abe Lincoln I came to Washington to get my boy reprieved and I am going to stay right here until he is set free. I am right here with you and I will be until you write that pardon. I am going to eat with you, sleep at your house and remain right here until you grant my request." He immediately turned to his secretary and directed him to at once write the pardon for the woman's incarcerated son.

The Times is on the good roads proposition with the same persistency. We don't expect to succeed as quickly as the distressed mother but it will have its effect, and will be right here until we get what we are clamoring for.

No Tobacco for Us.

The New Era Farmer don't think a stalk of tobacco should be grown in Powell county. It only helps to impoverish the soil and in no way puts anything back on the land. If you have land that will grow tobacco put that land in corn, as you must have some corn, feed it to your hogs, your cows, and horses and put the manure it makes on a piece of poor land and you have the profit on your stock and the improvement of your land too.

Governor Willson went to Washington this week where he and Senator Bradley called on our Congressman John W. Langley and tried to persuade him to become a Republican candidate for Governor, but Langley could not be persuaded, he said "I am out of the race."

February is the shortest month in the year, but it is far from possessing the shortest number of eventful days, among them being, Ground Hog, the 2nd, Lincoln's Birthday, the 12th, St. Valentine's Day the 14th, and Washington Birthday the 22nd.

The coal bin is holding up better than we expected. The usual winter supply was more than half gone Christmas, but it has gone down but little since then compared with the way it went in the month of December.

We still believe if those persons who leave Powell county and succeed would stay with us and try here as hard as they try after they leave they would succeed just as well in Powell county.

The sale of R. L. Shimpfessel on Hardwick's creek yesterday was largely attended and articles all sold well. G. W. Clark, auctioneer.

James B. Hall, of Lexington, was in the city Saturday.

Important Decision.

The Court of Appeals has sustained the award of damages to a city falsely arrested by a sergeant of the Kentucky militia and held without evidence of unlawful acts. The arrest of several citizens was made by soldiers two years ago during the night riding disturbances. Several men returning from a lodge meeting were arrested, and two of them were held by the soldiers because two pistols were found in their buggy. The decision says that the men had a right to carry the pistols in their buggy for protection and that the soldiers were responsible for damages to them. The action of Governor Willson in calling out the troops without a request from the proper authorities was upheld in emergency cases as was the case in 1909.

Keep up the Fight.

Keep up the good roads fight all along the line until the people awake to a sense of the fact that Kentucky has as many good things as any place on earth, and all that is needed are roads over which one may travel to find these good things. It is a shame that the State has so many bad roads that one cannot get to the crossroads store with more of his product than he may carry on his back. — Catlettsburg Tribune.

A Cough

Is a danger signal and should not be neglected. Take Dr. Bell's Pin-Tar-Honey at once. It allays inflammation, stops the cough and heals the membranes.

SUTHERLAND'S EAGLE EYE SALVE
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Professional Farming Pays.

It has been shown that professional farming will pay. How many of our farmers have any fine seed corn for sale? Before long everybody will want some first class seed corn.

How many men are cleaning up their thickets and fence rows, preparatory sowing them in grass? If tobacco is cut out this year each farmer should raise at least what his family will consume and these corners cleaned up will raise good truck and it will pay.

At least one half of our farmers are now out of potatoes, apples, cabbage, beans, pumpkins and many are out of meat, corn and hay and yet all of these products are high and it pays to raise them. Make your fields smaller and farm them closer and use more mature and fertilizer. — Owenton Democrat.

The man in New York last week who declared himself King McNamara who killed Jacob Kellar, formerly of this city, in Lexington 12 years ago, was brought back to Lexington where he was proved to not be the man.



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